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REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION

Applicant : Marco Mario Tivelli, et al.

App. No : 10/554075

Filed : September 6, 2006

For : SEAMLESS STEEL TUBE WHICH IS

INTENDED TO BE USED AS A GUIDE PIPE

AND PRODUCTION METHOD THEREOF

Examiner : Mark L. Shevin

Art Unit : 1973

Conf # : 2845

Mail Stop RCE

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This Request for Continued Examination (RCE) is being made as follows:

1. Submission Required under 37 CFR 1.114:

(X) Enclosed:

(X) Amendment/Reply in 10 pages.

2. Fees:

The present application qualifies for Small Entity Status under 37 CFR 1.27.

FEE CALCULATION				
FEE TYPE		FEE CODE	CALCULATION	TOTAL
RCE Fee		1801 (\$810)		\$810
2 Month Extension		1252 (\$490)		\$490
			TOTAL FEE DUE	\$1300

(X) An extension of time is hereby requested by payment of the appropriate fee indicated above.

3. Payment:

(X) The amount of \$1300 will be paid via EFS Web.

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Please charge any additional fees, including any fees for additional extension of time, or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 11-1410.

Respectfully submitted, Knobbe Martens Olson & Bear LLP

Dated: January 24, 2011 /Todd D. Reynolds/

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